Husband's Name: ÁDÁM MARTZI

Born: Married: Died: Buried:

Wife's Name: Mária Kiss

Baptized: 22 December 1773 Sátoraljaújhely, Zemplèn, Hungary

Died: Buried:

Father: VAVRINEC KISS

Mother: MARIA

Issue: Baptized: Where: 1. Andreas Martzi 01 December 1790 Sátoraljaújhely, Zemplèn, Hungary Sátoraljaújhely, Zemplèn, Hungary 2. Anna Martzi 09 February 1804 21 May 1810 Sátoraljaújhely, Zemplèn, Hungary 3. Borbála Martzi Sátoraliaújhely, Zemplèn, Hungary 4. JÁNOS MARTZI 07 June 1813 Sátoraljaújhely, Zemplèn, Hungary circa 1814 JÓZSEF MARTZI

Not much is known about the MARTZI family. In early church records the surname is sometimes found as MARTZIN. The spelling of the surname seems to have changed between 1820 and 1835 to MARCZI as that spelling is found in records dating from 1837; and this change is not specific to just this couple, it seems to have been applied to all those with the MARTZI surname.

The church registers of Sátoraljaújhely do not list a marriage for ÁDÁM and MÁRIA between 1794 and 1810 and nor do they note a death for either through 1816. Though it appears that ÁDÁM and MÁRIA lived in Sátoraljaújhely, the MARTZI surname is also found a few miles north in Hosszú-Láz, which is significant given that two of their three children married into the SCHMID family from Hosszú-Láz. Given the small size of the village (40 houses with 273 residents in 1873) it is highly likely that GYÖRGY MARTZI and his wife KATARINA BABIS who lived there and had at least four children between 1810 and 1822 were related, perhaps GYÖRGY and ÁDÁM were brothers, and may have been the mechanism through which the MARTZI and SCHMID families got to know each other. If the parents of MÁRIA given above are correct, she probably had a brother named VAVRINEC (LAWRENCE). He was identified through the baptisms of his and HELENA PURTSÁK or PILESIK'S children: MÁRIA KISS, baptized 16 July 1790; JÁNOS KISS, baptized 25 March 1794 and József KISS, baptized 16 March 1799.

In Sátoraljaújhely a BORBÁLA KISS was godmother to two children of JÁNOS MARTZI and MÁRIA MOCH who were married on 8 June 1809. Their son GYÖRGY was born on 26 April 1812 and their daughter ANNA on 3 March 1815. While exact relationships are next to impossible to know at this remote time and place, there probably is a connection given the common given and surnames.

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- 3) Borbála Martzi: The Latin form of "Barbara" is found in the baptismal entry; her Godparents were József (Josephus) Hajdatsek and Anna Vasadt or Vorock. Married Bálint Schmid on 20 December 1837 in Hosszú-Láz. Their story continues in their own file.
- 4) JÁNOS MARTZI: The Latin form of "JOANNES" is found in the baptismal entry; he had the same Godparents as his sister: JÓZSEF (JOSEPHUS) HAJDATSEK and ANNA VASADT or VOROCK.
- 5) JÓZSEF MARTZI: connection is far from definite; rather it is surmised from his marriage on 17 September 1832 to MARGIT SCHMID, sister of BÁLINT. (See KRISZTIÁN SCHMID file for more information)